

**Amendment No. 1 to HB2530**

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Signature of Sponsor**

**AMEND Senate Bill No. 2149\***

**House Bill No. 2530**

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-50-506(a)(1), is amended by deleting the subdivision in its entirety and substituting instead the following:

(1) A person who drives a motor vehicle within the entire width between the boundary lines of every way publicly maintained that is open to the use of the public for purposes of vehicular travel, or the premises of any shopping center, manufactured housing complex, apartment house complex, or any other premises frequented by the public at large while in possession of five (5) or more grams of methamphetamine, as scheduled in § 39-17-408(d)(2), commits a Class B misdemeanor and is subject to a fine only of not more than five hundred dollars (\$500); provided, that if a child twelve (12) years of age or under is present in the vehicle at the time of the offense, the person commits a Class A misdemeanor and is subject to a fine only of not more than one thousand dollars (\$1000).

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-50-506(b), is amended by deleting the subsection in its entirety and substituting instead the following:

(b) Upon receiving a record of the conviction of any person under this section upon a charge of driving a vehicle while in possession of five (5) or more grams of methamphetamine, as scheduled in § 39-17-408(d)(2), the department shall revoke the person's license for five (5) years; provided, that if the person is convicted under subdivision (a)(1) for having a child twelve (12) years of age or under present in the vehicle at the time of the offense, the department shall revoke the person's license for seven (7) years.

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SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2016, the public welfare requiring it.